

INSTITUTE STILL  
HOLDING ATTENTION

Last Night the School Directors Attended Interesting Session.

## DR. BECHT MAKES GOOD TALK

Again This Morning the Attendance Was Above Expectations and the Teachers Show Keen Interest in the Work—Yesterday's Session.

Interest continues keen in the Teachers' Institute being held by the Connellville school district. Last evening in the Carnegie Free Library hall a session was held especially for the School Directors and most of them were present. Some of them will not need the advice given in a general way as they go out of office on Monday.

The program last evening was brief, consisting of a piano solo by Miss Pearl Keck, a reading by Fred W. Miller, Jr., Secretary of the High School, a solo by Miss Rose Leander and a talk on "Lead a Hand" by Dr. J. George Becht. Dr. Becht is proving one of the most popular speakers that any institute in this section has had in recent years. This morning he talked on "Live Teachers and Live Teaching" before the general gathering, and in the departmental session told the High School teachers about "Socializing the Course of Studies." Dr. Becht's address on the invocation this morning after Miss Leander had given a solo. She followed with another song "Lead a Hand" by Dr. J. George Becht.

Miss Agnes M. Connell gave a "Demonstration Class in Play and Games" to the Intermediate and Grammar teachers while Miss Edna Vaughn Fisher told the primary teachers about "Reading for Little Ones."

Dr. J. George Becht, Secretary of the State Board of Education, made the initial address before the teachers Friday afternoon and added much of interest and educational value to the institute. His address on "The National Course of Studies" was intensely practical and was profusely illustrated by stories of happenings in actual life. His was a plea for the study of the course of studies as against the consideration of its welfare from theological, the philosophical or the pedagogical standpoint, all of which he said have been tried but not found to be successful. He has been accomplished in child study for the last 30 years, he declared, than in centuries preceding. He talked of the importance of allowing development along natural lines during its infancy, which he characterized as the period from birth to the age of 21, cautioning especially against the growth of the child. "This talk of a completely developed little man or little woman is foolishness," he declared. He directed attention to the child as a critical period in the life of the boy or the girl—the period during its most rapid physical development, when he or she is awkward and inclined to dreaming and the building of air castles—and charged the teachers to take advantage of the opportunity to develop character.

The opening address of the afternoon session by Dr. J. George Becht, after Miss Leander had contributed a contralto solo, Dr. Chambers spoke of "Children's Education to the Future." The next period was not intended to be entertaining but was along practical lines and was well received. The next period was occupied by Miss Fisher on "Play in Education." The speaker urged the necessity of affording the child some means of getting rid of surplus energy. The attempt at restriction of the child's pent-up energy is responsible, she said, for the large number of children before the juvenile courts in Pittsburgh and elsewhere. She declared that it would never be a question of "blowing off steam" by playing ball or at some other physical exercise indulging his inclination to play his own game, but of thinking of throwing stones at windows or peddling or anybody else. She advocated equitable mixing of work and play through life, from childhood to old age, declaring that it will provide a more abundant enjoyment of life. In her talk she spoke of the good work accomplished by the Pittsburgh Playgrounds Association, with which she is connected.

## CELEBRATES 63RD BIRTHDAY

Emperor Francis Joseph Has Been on Throne That Long.

VIENNA, Dec. 2.—(Special).—Special services of thanksgiving were held throughout the empire today in celebration of the sixtieth anniversary of the accession of Emperor Francis Joseph. Greetings from many parts of the world were received by the venerable emperor, who passed the day in accordance with the simple routine that has marked his life for many years.

The health of His Majesty is reported to be as good as that of a man of his age, he is feeling the weight of his years and can no longer indulge in the hunting expeditions and other pleasures of his youth. The burden of his domestic government can no longer be denied. He appears very rarely in public occasions and is frequently being confined to his apartments for days at a time.

Chief Has a Birthday.

Today is the 57th birthday of Chief of Police George Hackett. Chief Hackett has been on police duty for the past 11 years.

EQUITY SUIT STARTED IN  
UNIONTOWN COURTS TODAY

Petitioners Seek to Prevent Changing Line of Road—Road Supervisors Enter Pleas of Guilt.

Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, Dec. 2.—Before Judge Van Swearingen this morning the equity suit of Jennie B. Benson and others against the Road Supervisors of South Union township was started. The petitioners seek to prevent the change of a street line on Darlick avenue, which is to be paved. They claim the road was laid out in 1870 and surveyed in 1877, and has not been changed since.

Frank Long, J. Frank Wright and W. C. Barnett, road supervisors of South Union township, pleaded guilty to violating the law which prohibits Road Supervisors from working the roads themselves. They failed to employ road masters.

They have already paid \$108 costs. As S. P. Murray, another supervisor, failed to appear, and counsel for the defense declared he was ignoring the proceeding, his case was placed on the trial list for next week, the three other defendants subpoenaed as witnesses, and the matter continued until Murray appears.

TRI-STATE GETS CONTROL  
OF INDEPENDENT PHONE CO.

American Union Now Has Only Minority Interest in Fayette County's Thriving System.

Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, Dec. 2.—The Maryland, Pennsylvania & West Virginia Telephone & Telegraph Company was sold at Sheriff's sale in Uniontown this afternoon to H. L. Robinson, representing the newly incorporated Tri-State Telephone Company, for \$10,000. The sale was made to satisfy a \$10,000 debt owed the Fayette Title & Trust Company, Citizens Title & Trust Company and the First National Bank, all of Uniontown. There was but one bid.

When the financial difficulties of the American Union interests in this section became acute, arrangements were made whereby the former Tri-State stockholders would again gain control of the concern, which prospered materially under their management.

The capitalization of the new Tri-State Company, now \$50,000 will be increased.

IMPROVED TOY WEAPON  
COSTS SIGHT OF LITTLE BOY

Distressing Accident Occurred at Meyersdale While Lads Are At Play—Fear Brain Fever.

Special to The Courier.

MEYERSDALE, Dec. 2.—A very distressing accident occurred at the home of Paul Werner, who resides a short distance south of the borough line. A six-year-old son, who was playing with a bow and arrow, which he manufactured out of the wire ribs of an umbrella, using one of the spokes as an arrow. Holding the arrow in the direction of his three-year-old brother, the arrow pierced the pupil of one of the little fellow's eyes.

He was taken to a Cumberland hospital last night and brought home last evening. The sight, of course, is lost, and it is feared every precaution will be taken to prevent it.

FOOTBALL TEAM TO BE THE  
GUESTS OF BASKETBALLERS

They Will Occupy One End of the Hall Next Tuesday Night When Cheerful Plays.

The Connellville High School football team will be the guest of the Connellville Athletic Association next Tuesday evening when Chertuba is the attraction here. Space has been reserved at the east end of the hall for the gridiron warriors. Accommodation are arranged for 32, including Coach Smith and his assistants. The basketball management decided to entertain them some evening and elected next Tuesday night. It is probable the plucky cheer will inject some ginger into the next encounter with the Chertuba.

## SPRINGFIELD HEARD FROM

Jacob Friend Killa-Some Porkers He Is Mighty Proud Of.

The prize winning hogs are not all in Stewart and Dunbar townships this year. Jacob Friend of Springfield township has killed the champion pig taking ago into the consideration Mr. Friend killed three six months old pigs averaging 347 pounds each, the largest one weighing 339 pounds. Curtis Kugel killed two hogs that weigh a little over a year old, the largest one weighing 507 pounds and the small one weighing considerable over 500.

C. H. Simpson, a champion hog in a few days. He has a Tamworth sow, predicted to clean between 750 and 800.

## A New Postmistress

Miss Hilda Cramer of Dunbar township took charge of the postoffice at Leetsburg No. 1 yesterday. Miss Cramer taught in the Dunbar township schools up until her appointment as postmistress. She succeeds Miss Nellie Carroll.

## Got Greenburg License

Elizabeth A. Hoke of Mt. Pleasant and Walter Vansickle of Rochester, Pa., were granted a marriage license in Greensburg yesterday.

GUARD McNAMARA BROTHERS CLOSELY  
TO PREVENT ANY ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE;  
PROSECUTION PLAYED STRONG CARD.

United Press Telegram.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Dec. 2.—The McNamara brothers are closely guarded to prevent any attempt at suicide. They were taken away from their confinement last night after their confession they seemed like men from whose minds a tremendous load had been removed. During the evening they conversed earnestly together in low tones.

Their cell was searched for anything which might be made an instrument of self-destruction. Deposits guard the outside of the jail. There is great bitterness against the brothers and it is openly declared that they betrayed the cause of labor. Sheriff Hammill declares that he does not expect any overt act, but intends to take every precaution.

It is declared that the confession will result in the defeat of Job Harriman, Socialist-Labor candidate for mayor of Los Angeles, at the election next Tuesday. Harriman's friends declare that "big business" planned yesterday episode to affect the election. They declare that after the arrest of Franklin for bribery, Fredericks sent a man into the court room who sat where he could see James McNamara. Another man arrived and McNamara flushed when he saw them and finally called to Joseph Scott, attorney for the defense. The two men left later.

It developed today that the first man who arrived was the one who met James as he entered the alley previous to the "Times" explosion. They had been talking to each other and James saw the man in court he knew that the final link in the chain had been attached against him.

Detectives in the employ of the McNamara prosecution have been keeping persons under surveillance in Indianapolis and California, cities for the past two weeks and arrests are expected as soon as the Federal Grand Jury reports in Indiana.

Persons connected with the prosecution say that the sensations have just started. Orders have been made that no one can see the McNamara brothers unless others are present.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 2.—The statements that Frank E. Eckhoff alleged James B. McNamara had made to him are believed to have played an important part in forcing the confession of John J. and James McNamara. Eckhoff was taken away as a witness expected as soon as the Federal Grand Jury reports in Indiana.

Chief of Police Jackson, whom Detective Burns took into his confidence, said:

"Among other things Eckhoff told Burns that James B. McNamara went to Beaver Falls, Pa., and carried four gallons each of nitro glycerine in the express car. The messenger thought they were oysters. The men were afraid every moment there would be an explosion which would wipe the train off the map."

Eckhoff said McNamara destroyed a bridge at Beaver Falls with one of the cans and buried the other three. Eckhoff had no difficulty leading Burns to where the "men" were "planted."

But the question will not be all-humane. There is no dearth of important measures awaiting consideration—some of great national concern. The great appropriation bills will be forced through. In the House there will be a mighty contest over federal incorporation of interstate commerce industrial corporations. The Senate will wrestle with the arbitration treaties, and the lines will be sharply drawn, between the impetuous and the peace-makers. Then there will be the subject of conservation, also the important question of the tolls to be exacted of vessels passing through the Panama canal.

Tyrone Board Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Lower Tyrone township school board will be held next Saturday at the Mifflin school house.

A Heroic Deed.

John George Kueck, aged 84, died at West Newton yesterday. He spent several years in California during the gold excitement.

"TRUST BUSTERS" ARE TO  
KEEP CONGRESS ON THE GO

Expected a Flood of Them Will Be Dumped in Legislative Hopper When Session Is Under Way.

Special to The Courier.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—With the opening of the first regular session of the Sixty-second Congress, the first day away Senators and Representatives who had remained at their homes over Thanksgiving day poured into the capital on every train today.

As all the committee appointments and other details of organization already have been completed, there will be no work of organization called for on Monday. A little routine business may be transacted in both houses and then an adjournment will be taken as "a further mark of respect" to the men who have died during the recess of Congress. Tuesday is likely to be devoted to reading of President's Taft's annual message. After that the lawmakers should be able to get down to business immediately and for the next five or six months, barring the time of recess over the holidays, the country can watch them thrust and parry and intermittently legislate.

That the session is likely to be an unusually busy and important one is generally admitted. The approach of the national elections and the bitter rivalries of political parties will enhance the interest. The galleries will have to listen to floods of stilted political oratory delivered purely for hope consumption. No member with an eye to re-election will overlook an opportunity to "make good" with his constituents.

A flood of bills hitting at the trusts will be introduced. Senator Foraker of Ohio will push his resolution to put trust offenders in jail; Representative Henry of Texas will introduce a bill to amend the House provision requiring some other member does not "scent him to it."

While the lawmakers in nearly all of the states concluded some time ago that anti-trust legislation was no longer profitable or advisable with a view to the general interest, many of the members of Congress appear still inclined to hold the trusts responsible for many of the ills with which the country is supposed to suffer. In their opinion the time has not yet come to let up on the railroads.

HUGH JENNINGS ESCAPED  
WITH BUT SLIGHT HURTS

No Bones Broken and The Others of His Party Will Also Recover From Automobile Accident.

United Press Telegram.

SCRAMPTON, Pa., Dec. 2.—Hugh Jennings, manager of the Detroit Tigers, Rev. A. B. Linnett, of Scranton, and David Holden and wife of Milton, were injured while riding in an automobile last night, when the machine collided with a bridge over the Lehigh and turned turtle, dropping into the river ten feet below, with the occupants underneath.

Jennings sustained deep scalp laceration and was badly bruised and lacerated. No bones were broken. Rev. Linnett had his right arm and right leg broken. The Holdens jumped and were not painfully hurt. The party had been hunting and Jennings volunteered to bring them here in his auto.

## STABS JOURNALIST.

Frenchman Slashed Because He Told of Italian Atrocities.

TRIPOLI, Dec. 2.—(Special).—Jean Carriere, correspondent of the Paris "Temps," was stabbed and painfully injured in a French restaurant today.

Carriere was attacked because he had written an account of Italian cruelties towards the Turks and Arabs.

## Township Board Organized.

The Dunbar township School Board will meet Monday afternoon at the Arlington Hotel for the purpose of reorganizing for the ensuing year. The new directors are John Donovan, Owen Meegan, of Leetsburg No. 1, John Conway, of Treater, William Hughes and Fred C. Smith of near Dunbar. The only old directors who will remain in office are C. B. Franks and Zeas Hall.

## Bonnie Brown Some Hunter.

Bonnie E. Brown, the popular B. & O. engineer of the Connellville and Oakland branch has sent to his many Connellville friends photographs of himself and Mrs. Brown, and a nice lot of game. Mr. and Mrs. Brown formerly resided in Connellville.

"LIVE WIRE" CONSTABLE  
VISITS CONNELLVILLE

Wound Up Busy Thanksgiving Grind by Arresting a Connellville "Sport" for Bogus Check.

S. P. Murray, the "live wire" Brownville Constable, blew into Connellville yesterday armed with a warrant for a Connellville "sport" who had passed a bogus \$5 check. Mr. Murray called The Courier by phone and gave a whirlwind account of his activities, which started during the Thanksgiving meal. The valiant constable had just hauled his molars into a drumstick of the festive bird when Squire Clark Baldwin called him on a rush order. He went out and landed a wife deserter at Altoona, returned only to capture Elmer Boyle, who has been wanted around Thompson No. 1 on a serious charge for three months, and then, yesterday came to Connellville, collected \$8 and costs on the check case, and departed.

If Murray worked as fast as he talked over the telephone, he has on the other constables of this county in the "also ran" class.

MRS. GALLANTINE IS  
CALLED BY GRIM REAPER

Aged Resident of Springfield Township Survived by Three Children One of Connellville.

Mrs. Elizabeth Miner Long Gallentine died early today at the home of her son-in-law, John Fritts, near Norwalk. She was 74 years of age. Mrs. Gallentine was born in Somerset county and spent the greater part of her life in that section. She was first married to George Long of Somerset, by whom she bore three children. Mrs. John Fritts of Normalville, Pa., and William L. Long of Connellville. They alone survive her.

Following the death of her first husband she married James M. Gallentine, who died three years ago. Mrs. Gallentine will be buried in the United Brethren cemetery beside the graves of her two husbands.

MRS. CUMBERLAND, AGED 92,  
DIED AT PERRY THURSDAY

She Is Survived by Four Children and Large Number of Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren.

Mrs. Mary Cumberland, aged 92, died Thursday at the home of her son, Arch Skiles, at Perryopolis. Mrs. Cumberland is survived by four children and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be held Sunday at 10:30 from the Methodist Episcopal church. Rev. C. P. Salladay officiating. Interment will be made in Mt. Washington cemetery.

The four surviving children are Mrs. Fannie March of Perryopolis; Mrs. Mary Currie Skiles of Connellville; Mrs. Arch Skiles of Perryopolis.

## AMERICAN GIRL WEDS

Daughter of Ambassador Egan Bride at Copenhagen Today.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 2.—(Special).—Official society here read the wedding check of the daughter of Ambassador Egan and Gabriel O'Reilly, which, according to the cable dispatches, was celebrated this morning in the Cathedral of St. Ansgar, in Copenhagen. Both of the contracting parties are well known in Washington. The bride is the daughter of Maurice Francis Egan, for many years a member of the faculty of the Catholic University of America and now the United States minister to Denmark.

Mr. O'Reilly, the bridegroom, is one of the officials of the Senate government in the Philippines. He is a native of North Dakota and was practicing law in Minneapolis when the war with Spain began. He went to the Philippines with the Minnesota regiment, and remained in Manila when peace came. He was made superintendent of the public schools of the islands and later was given charge of the government department created to promote the native Filipino industries.

## RABBIT DIED

James Terry Typhoid Victim at Mt. Pleasant Hospital.

James Terry, an Italian laborer for the Hill Construction Company, died yesterday in the Mt. Pleasant hospital of typhoid fever. Deceased was 19 years old. The body was brought to Connellville last night and removed to Funeral Director J. L. Stader's parlors and prepared for burial.

Services are being held this afternoon from Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Italian church. Interment in St. Joseph's cemetery.

## Golden Eagle Officers.

Anne Cornell Temple No. 14, Ladies of the Golden Eagles, met last night in Moose hall and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Past Temple, Carrie S. Hillman; Noble Templar, Margaret Stanley; Vice Templar, Elizabeth Graham; Prophetess, Jennie McManus; Priestess, Sadie Snort; Marshal of Ceremonies, Mary Galt; Guardian of Records, Anna Rice; Guardian of Finance, Ross Sylvester; Guardian of Exchequer, Marian Jones; Guardian of Music, Hattie Miller; Guardian of Inner Portal, Margaret Copeland; Guardian of Outer Portal, Nora Williams; Trustee, Carrie Stillwagon. The meeting was well attended.

## David Porterfield Ill.

David Porterfield, an aged resident of Meyer, is seriously ill from a complication of diseases.

WEST PENN WILL  
REACH WEST NEWTON

Construction of 10 Mile Extension From Hunker is Announced.

## ENGINEERS BEGIN THE SURVEYS

Actual Construction Work to Start in Early Spring and When Completed Will Leave Only Four Miles Gap Towards McKeesport.

It was announced today that the construction of the 10 mile line from Hunker to West Newton has been authorized by the West Penn Traction Company and work will be started in the spring. Although a preliminary survey of the line has been made, Resident Engineer W. K. Allen and a corps of surveyors started yesterday to run the lines that will be followed by the contractors. When this link is constructed it will leave only four miles to be built between West Newton and Scott Haven to give the West Penn an all-rail route from McKeesport to the coke region.

The West Newton-Scott Haven connection has been surveyed but its construction has not yet been authorized. This will, it is generally believed, follow the completion of the West Newton-Hunker line.

## STEEL FIGHT MONDAY

It Will Be Staged at Trenton on That Day.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 2.—A preliminary to the clash between the Government and the United States Steel Corporation will be staged in the United States Circuit Court here on Monday, when the Rockefellers and other defendants will enter their appearances in the suit brought to dissolve the steel trust. The defendants will not appear in person, but will be represented by an array of counsel that will include some of the most brilliant legal minds in America.

The next round in the battle is scheduled for one month from today, when the defendants must file in court an answer to the allegations of the Government. Unless there are developments this should comprise the pleading. Next will come the appointment of an examiner to take testimony. After the testimony has all been taken and heard by the court the case will be placed on the calendar for argument and the procedure will be the same as in the oil and tobacco cases.

## WIND UP WORK

Monetary Commission Now on Home Streets of Its Labors.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 2.—(Special).—The National Monetary Commission today entered upon its final series of meetings to put the opinions of men versed in financial matters on the proposed reform of the banking and currency laws of the country. The addresses and discussions at the recent convention of the American Bankers' Association, in New Orleans reflected what is believed to be the prevailing views of the national bankers, particularly with reference to the proposed National Reserve Association, which is intended to be a great unification of the credit of the banking institutions of the nation.

The commission still desires, however, to give all interested persons an opportunity to present opinions before the commission decides on a final report and incorporates its findings in the form of a bill to be introduced in Congress.

## BURGLARS LENIENT

Tenants Two Trainriders to Go On Their Way Today.

Special Officer Thomas C. Phelan made two arrests yesterday for train riding. Both men were given a hearing by Burgess J. L. Evans. They were John Wademan of Cleveland, O., and John Snyder, who hails from the western part of the State. Wademan denied the charge. He told Burgess Evans that he was walking along the Baltimore & Ohio tracks when Special Officer Phelan came along. He claimed to have ridden the officer wrong and he could find a place to sleep and that Phelan told him he would find him a place to spend the night. Burgess Evans believed the man's story and released him.

Snyder told a pitiful and straight-forward story to the Burgess. He pled guilty of train riding. He said his wife had died, leaving two small children, and he was in search of work. He was also discharged.

## TRIO HILARIOUS.

Police Interfere With Jollity and Burgess Does the Rest.

Edward Brodigan, J. E. McGee and Albert Munn were arrested this morning at 1 o'clock by Officer William Stener and Henry Geiger on a charge of disorderly conduct. There were four men in the party. One left a forfeit of \$4. Brodigan, McGee and Munn were each given 48 hours of the house of correction.

Adam Biewick was arrested yesterday morning for drunkenness. He was given 48 hours.

Butchered Fine Porkers.

John A. Stager of Scottsdale butchered two fine hogs from a meadow. One weighed 593 pounds and the other 502 pounds.

## SOCIETY.

**Glacierella Dance.**  
Dainty yellow and white appointments marked the second of a series of Glacierella dances given last evening at the hotel under the committee of Mrs. L. T. McCormick, Mrs. E. B. Jamieson, Misses Mary Dick, Frances Freed, Mary Holzer, Jessie Levenson, Marian Davidson, Blanche Madison, Martha Eaton, Margaret Harpold and Katherine Porter. The dance was perfectly arranged and was attended by about 60 couples. The hall presented an unusually attractive scene. An artistic arrangement of yellow bunting and yellow chevronettes adorned the pillars and balcony. Ferns were also used on the balcony and radiators. The lights around the four sides of the hall were capped with dainty yellow shades. Dancing was indulged in until after midnight. Music was furnished by Kiefer's orchestra. A buffet luncheon was served. Among the out of town guests were Miss Edna McMann of Chicago, Miss Katherine Tolson of Portland, Ill., Miss Myrtle Bailey of Greenburg, Messrs. Keller, Hagan, and O'Neill of Uniontown.

**Ladies Aid.**  
The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Baptist Church was held last evening at the home of Mrs. John Jones on North Pittsburgh street. Many members were present and at the conclusion of the business meeting a social session was held. Miss Grace Randolph rendered a vocal solo, while a piano duet and several piano solos were rendered by Mrs. E. N. Stahl and Miss Belle McDonald. Refreshments were served.

**Autism to West.**  
A December wedding of interest is that of Miss C. B. Hettich, formerly head nurse at the Uniontown hospital, and Dr. Lewis Souther of Gray's Landing. Miss Hettich left the Uniontown hospital some time ago for her home in Chambersburg, Pa. Dr. Souther formerly resided at New Salem, and was at one time resident physician at the Uniontown hospital.

**Entertained For Guest.**  
Mrs. E. J. Metcalf entertained last evening at her home in Greenwood on honor of her guest, Miss Ruth Bottorff, instructor of music, at Pennsylvania State College. Miss Bottorff was formerly instructor of music at Bucknell College from which institution she graduated in 1909. The guests were favored with several very pleasing piano solos by Miss Bottorff. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McGee and daughter, Helen, of Dunbar. Miss Bottorff left this morning to resume her work at State College.

**Went to West.**  
Mrs. William DeLoft of the West Side won the ladies hat raised at Thanksgiving night at the bazaar held in the basement of the Immaculate Conception church. The hat was donated to Mrs. DeLoft by Mrs. J. J. McGee. Mrs. DeLoft is the wife of Mr. DeLoft, a West Side milliner.

**Surprise Party.**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Fink were host and hostess at a lovely surprise party given last evening at their home on Twenty-first street in honor of the 42nd birthday anniversary of their guest, W. A. Wells of Granger, W. Va. Mr. Wells was greatly surprised when about 30 of his friends assembled at the Fink home to assist in celebrating the event. A dainty luncheon was served and a pleasant evening was spent at various amusements. Mr. Wells formerly was a B. & O. conductor. For the past ten years he has resided on a farm of 127 acres at Granger. Mrs. Wells is also a guest at the Fink home. They expect to return home some time next week.

**Bible Class Banquet.**  
A banquet will be held next Tuesday evening at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium under the auspices of the Men's Bible Class of the Sunday school. The banquet will be served by the ladies of the class.

**Engagement Announced.**  
Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Anna Morelli Higgins of the Y. M. C. A. to Mr. Ernest Ritchey of Conyngham, Va. Mrs. Higgins has resided at Meyersdale nearly all her life. The engagement will terminate in a December wedding.

## WASHING WITHOUT WATER

Is Like Trying to Get Rid of Dandruff Without Shampoo.  
Did you ever see any one trying to wash themselves without soap or water?

If you did what would you say of him?  
It is every bit as foolish to try to get rid of dandruff and to prevent dandruff by feeding the germ which causes it, with Cambricene, Vaseline, Glycerine and similar substances which form the principal ingredients of most so-called hair Vigors.

Newborn's Hairbalm is successful because it attacks and kills the parasitic germ which feeds on the hair roots.

It is the original and only genuine scalp germicide manufactured.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Horpido Co., Detroit, Mich.

One dollar bottles guaranteed; Ornum & Co., Special Agents.

**Men's Memorial Services.**  
The annual memorial services of Connelville Lodge No. 503 B. P. O. E. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Solson theatre. All members of the lodge are requested to meet at 2 o'clock at the Elks home and proceed from there to the theatre. The public is invited.

**War—Mickel Monday—War.**  
Second release of the Italian and Turkish War, Monday, December 4, in two films; one showing the war now ending and the other the Italian cavalry. The finest films ever shown in this city.

**Coke Men Here.**  
J. W. Darr, better known as the Bonco plant of the H. C. Price Coke Company, and James Quinn, master mechanic, were in town yesterday circulating among their friends. Bonco is running full six days a week.

**Tailor, Astrologer.**  
Miss St. Germaine, Smith House, room 4, hours 10 to 5, Monday, Tuesday, 2 to 5, Wednesday, 2 to 5, Thursday, 2 to 5, Friday, 2 to 5, Saturday, 2 to 5, Sunday, 2 to 5. Business prospects for 1912.

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Royal is equally valuable in the preparation of plain, substantial, every-day foods, for all occasions.

The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

No Alum—No Lime Phosphates

## MRS. KATHERINE WANN.

Aged Meyersdale Woman Died There On Friday Evening.

**MEYERSDALE, Dec. 2.**—Mrs. Katherine Wann, aged about 88 years, died last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dively, where she was staying. She was the widow of the late Paul Wann, who died about 10 years ago. She is survived by several great grandchildren and one great-grandson. Little Paul, the four year old child of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dively of Cherry street.

Funeral services will be conducted from the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dively of Main street, by Rev. J. A. Young, pastor of Zion Lutheran church, tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment in Union cemetery.

**Infant Child Dead.**  
Mary Catherine Wardley, aged two months and 10 days, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Wardley of No. 103 Seymour street, died last evening. The body will be shipped to Fairmont for interment tomorrow morning on the train No. 52 by Funeral Director J. E. Sims.

**Infant Dies.**  
The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hillwagon died this morning at the family residence in South alley. Interment this afternoon in St. Joseph's cemetery.

**Medford Men to Meet.**  
The December meeting of the Young Men's Social Club will be held next Thursday evening at the home of Dr. T. B. Richard on South Pittsburgh street.

**Licensed to Wed.**  
Joseph H. Alcott of Mans Choice and Josephine Smith of Meyersdale, were granted a license to wed in Pittsburgh yesterday.

**Hunting Bargains?**  
If so read the advertisements in this paper carefully. You will find them.

**Have the Daily Courier delivered to your home or office every day.**

**Now is the time to begin your Christmas shopping.**

## Maybe It's You That's Out of Sorts

—the world is all right—that's certain!

If coffee drinking has put you out of tune (it does many) until the world looks gloomy, let some sunshine in by a change to well-made

# POSTUM

It has helped thousands—why not you?

The change is easy and pleasant when Postum is made right—that is, boiled full 15 minutes after boiling begins.

Good Postum has a fine color, delicious flavor, and the rich, nourishing food elements for rebuilding brain and nerves.

With mental poise and the body swinging along smoothly, life is worth living.

Ten days' trial shows.

"There's a Reason" for

## POSTUM

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## PERSONAL.

**Do Your Christmas Shopping Early.**  
Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Snyder left this morning for New Castle, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Josephine Roberts over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Kruger have returned from Marlinton, where they were the guests of friends for the past two weeks. They were accompanied home by Mrs. L. S. May. Today Mrs. Kruger, Mrs. May, Mrs. A. L. Nicholson and Mrs. Charles Boyd and two children are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Wright of Greenburg. John S. Fennell of Uniontown was circulating among his Connelville friends yesterday.

**Speech.**—All our white or black phoned this week at 55. Mrs. J. R. Feltz, milliner.

Attorney G. M. Hosack of Pittsburgh, was in town yesterday on business. Mr. Robert Bowdoin and Miss Jeanette Short of Star Junction, are Connelville visitors today.

Mrs. Edward Francis Miller of Annapolis, W. Va., is the guest of her parents Superintendent and Mrs. P. J. Tormay.

Mrs. Frank Bittner and daughter, Alice, and sister-in-law, Miss Lillian Bittner, of Cleveland, O., were guests at the home of William Henry in East End yesterday.

Mrs. J. D. Hoover of Hamilton, Canada left for home yesterday evening, after a visit with Mrs. Joseph Dixon, her sister, and other relatives here.

A liberal reduction on all trimmed and untrimmed hats. Many less than half price. McFarland's, West Apple street, Connelville.

M. F. Church, Robert B. Cairns, pastor, Sabbath school at 9:30. Morning service at 10:30. Subject, "Self Examination." Junior C. E. at 3:30 P. M. Ladies' Misses' Stillwell at 8:00 P. M.

Miss Lucy Morgan of Trotter, is visiting relatives at Lement. Mr. and Mrs. DeWalt Hiltz and children of Pittsburgh, returned home yesterday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Hiltz and other relatives here.

Mrs. J. R. Feltz has placed every hat in her store on sale at 50c. Nothing over \$1.00. Prices from \$2.00 to \$5.00. Willow plumes \$5, white and black.

Mrs. Samuel Dinwiddie of Mt. Pleasant, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Herbert in the West Side. Miss Bess Meloney of Greenburg, has returned home, after a visit with Miss Mary Ann Stetson.

Miss Emma Weber of Meyersdale, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Michael Hurley.

Miss Mary Livengood of Meyersdale, has returned home, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Korrigan.

Mrs. James Scott of Union, is here on a visit to relatives.

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\$30.00 Suits at	\$22.50	\$19.50 Suits at	\$14.62	\$12.50 Suits at	\$ 9.37
\$27.50 Suits at	\$20.62	\$18.50 Suits at	\$13.87	\$10.00 Suits at	\$ 7.50
\$25.00 Suits at	\$18.75	\$16.50 Suits at	\$12.37	\$ 8.50 Suits at	\$ 6.37
\$22.50 Suits at	\$16.87	\$15.00 Suits at	\$11.25		

### Fifty Years Ago Today.

**Dec. 2.**  
The regular session of the thirty-seventh or first "war congress" convened. Planets along the Atlantic coast were burning their rice and cotton crops to prevent capture by the Federal armies. Great Britain placed 55 warships, mounting 1,375 guns, under orders to anticipate of war with the United States.

**Twenty-five Years Ago Today.**  
Bismarck abandoned his project for a German naval station on the Caroline Islands, subject to the sovereignty of Spain.



**PREFERRED DANGER.**  
"Don't your paper want you to go to Tripoli?"  
"Yes, but I prefer something with a spot of danger in it. I've been hunting in the Adirondacks."



**PRETTY NEAR IT.**  
"He makes his living by guessing." "Guessing puzzles, eh?"  
"No—he a weather forecaster."

### Destroys Liquor Craving.

Detumescence is a progressive disease; the moderate drinker is not satisfied with two or three drinks a day; the craving for more and more becomes irresistible as the disease advances; the result is Chronic Alcoholism. The treatment used successfully by thousands right in their own homes is ORRINE. It is sold with the understanding that if it does not benefit after a trial, we refund your money. ORRINE No. 1 is the secret remedy; ORRINE No. 2 is for those willing to take the treatment. Either form costs \$1.00. If you are interested come in and we'll gladly tell you about the good ORRINE is doing. Ask for free booklet, Barker's Pharmacy, 329 S. Pittsburgh street.

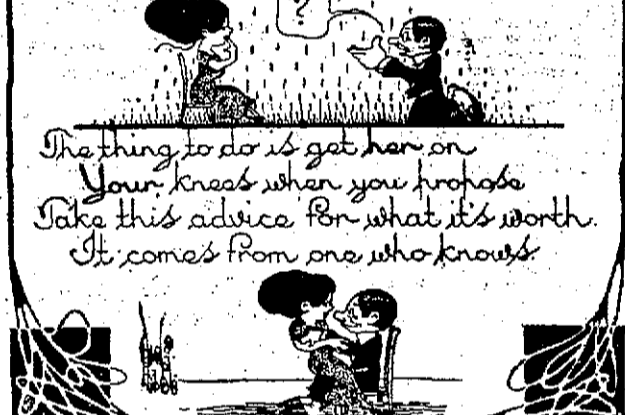
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### ADVICE

Don't get down on your knees to ask a girl to marry you. Take my advice—I've tried it twice. It worked fine two times too.



The thing to do is get her on your knees when you propose. Take this advice for what it's worth. It comes from one who knows.

### Prepare for Winter

Cold weather is here and all the Union Supply Company stores have complete stocks of everything you need to keep you warm. We can supply you with all kinds of bedding and bed coverings. We have the large lines of mattresses, all kinds of blankets, comforts, etc., from the cheapest to the best grades. We have large stocks of clothing for men and women, latest styles and lowest prices; great varieties of underwear, ranging in price from twenty-five cents a garment upward; many different kinds of warm winter wraps for ladies and children, all the latest styles and colors. We invite you to visit the nearest Union Supply Company store and inspect our stocks. We can save you money.

### PREPARE FOR WINTER!

All of the Union Supply Company stores have well stocked shoe departments. All the latest styles for men and women, boys and girls. Popular priced goods at \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 a pair. We have large stocks of school shoes for boys and girls, good heavy soles for cold winter weather. We have the best men's working shoes in the coke region. We have all the best styles and shapes, and every pair is made especially for our trade. We buy direct from the manufacturers and every pair is guaranteed.

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Keep the bowels regular and liver active by systematic use of Schenck's Mandrake Pills, and you will escape all serious illness. They cure stomach and liver disorders, dyspepsia, indigestion, sick headaches, malaria, hemorrhoids, jaundice, flatulence. Used and proved 70 years. Wholly vegetable—absolutely harmless—plain or sugar coated. See a box. Sold everywhere. Send for the free book and diagnose your own case. Dr. J. H. SCHENCK & SON, Phila., Pa.

### Fine Job Work of all kind at this office



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THE WEEKLY COURIER is the recognized organ of the Connelleville coke trade. It has a special issue for industrial journal and an advertising medium for such interests.

SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 2, 1911.

Capital and Labor. Monmouth Times. The Connelleville Courier notes the fact that there has been no strike in the coke regions since 1894, a period of seventeen years, during which capital and labor have gotten along peacefully and quietly.

It cites the fact that in January, 1910, when coke was selling at \$2.50 a ton, a voluntary advance of 10 to 12 cents was made by the coke companies. In August, when coke was selling at \$1.50 per ton, but there has been no decrease in the wage scale.

Recently, when the coke companies took away some new holdings which it had purchased on the Redstone branch, its first order was to reduce rents and coal bills to all employees, to inspect and repair tenement houses and other buildings owned by the company, and in other ways demonstrated to the employees that it was interested in their behalf.

As The Courier says, it always pays Capital and Labor to be fair with each other.

For Lower Rates on Coal. Canonburg Notes. The coal operators of the Pittsburgh district are putting up a fight before the Interstate Commerce Commission for lower rates on coal to the Lakes.

For years the roads have been discriminating in favor of the West. The coal men to the great injury of all connected with the coal business in Western Pennsylvania. The Pennsylvania operators decided some time ago to go before the Interstate Commerce Commission and state their case, and ask for redress, and this they are doing.

It is to be hoped that they will succeed. Washington county is much interested in the outcome of the contest, by reason of our large and valuable coal deposits.

Around the Store. By K. Moulton. Around the store in the grocery store fifteen or twenty or maybe more get together each winter night. To get all the "news" of the night. And all of the grave affairs of state are thrashed out nearly in joint debate.

Of course, the tariff has not fresh all. Compared with it, other topics are small. They talk of lumber and wool and steel.

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would lead to a further centralization of power at Washington, a tendency which has been growing almost too rapidly during the last few years.

Indications are strengthening daily that the big corporations have gone through their severest trials, and that hereafter the Government is likely to show more leniency in its enforcement of the law. At the same time it is fully recognized that these great corporations and the enormous powers which they have assumed are not readily brought under the influence of the law. Some sort of reasonable regulation must be devised; not so much to satisfy popular clamor as to prevent abuses of the great power which they inevitably possess.

The tariff will also be an element of uncertainty, yet not very serious or important changes are to be anticipated except in instances of absolutely unnecessary and extreme protection. The Presidential campaign is, of course, a distracting element, but when the political atmosphere becomes clearer, its importance will be on the wane.

No far-reaching effects upon business are to be expected. After all, the great legislation will be accomplished, simply because this is a Presidential year, and each party will be endeavoring to put the other in a hole rather than solving problems.

So much for politics, which are at present the chief hindrance to business recovery. In other respects the business situation shows slow but steady improvement.

The iron trade is still feeling the way, and November proved that industry. We are now approaching midwinter when much structural work has to be abandoned, so it should cause no disappointment if there follows some slight cessation of activity in this field during the next two or three months.

Nevertheless, conditions in the iron trade are much more satisfactory, and some of the most important manufacturers have already openly declared that a turn for the better has been reached. Prices are still low for many steel products, and the fact that there is still large title capacity prevents any advance.

This, however, does not detract from the fact that conditions are being improved. Over a million tons of this amount going to the roads, which are always the earliest and shrewdest buyers at such times.

Technically and intrinsically the security market is in a fairly satisfactory condition. The chief obstacle as we have already said is politics.

For this reason developments at Washington during the coming week will have peculiar significance. In this connection the forthcoming report of the Lindley Board of the Federal Reserve Bank will be of great interest.

It is expected that the report will be favorable, and that the Federal Reserve Board will have an important effect upon the stock market.

HENRY CLEWS' LETTER. Trust Issue Much Confused But I am of the Opinion That It is a Dream.

Special to The Courier. NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Owing to the intervention of Thanksgiving Day and the approaching opening of Congress December 4 the tendency of the stock market was reversed and considerable realization of profits ensued.

A temporary flurry in money markets to the end of the month further aided the decline.

In forming opinions on the course of the stock market it is important to first get a line upon what Congress is likely to do during the coming session.

The main political issues, it is already known, will be the trusts and corporation law, with currency legislation a remote third.

President Taft is expected to devote his attention chiefly to the trust problem. Since his ideas upon this subject are well known and are not likely to change, the chief interest will fall upon the attitude of Congress.

At present the three bills which are now before Congress are much confused by some desire to amend or repeal the Sherman Law. Its repeal is an idle dream. Its amendment however may be possible, though for reasons already explained in these columns not entirely desirable.

The chief objections to a Federal Incorporation law are purely political, inasmuch as it

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## NEWS FORECAST FOR THE COMING WEEK.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Dec. 2.—The first regular session of the Sixty-third Congress will assemble at noon Monday.

The President's message will be read in both houses Tuesday and then the lawmakers will be ready to take up the appropriation measures and the bills dealing with the tariff, the trust and other big issues of the session.

When the Supreme Court of the United States reconvenes Monday, following its recess of two weeks, counsel for the Chicago packers who are under indictment for alleged violation of the criminal provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law will present a motion for a stay.

In an effort to force the trial of the case, which is scheduled to begin Wednesday in the United States District Court in Chicago.

The United States Steel Corporation's first step in the legal battle with the Government for its existence will be taken Monday. On that day the several defendants, through counsel, will enter their pleas.

The United States Senate Committee on the Judiciary will have been brought to the floor of the Senate Monday.

The House of Representatives will have been brought to the floor of the House Monday.

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## POLITICS AND POLITICIANS.

William J. Bryan is enjoying a vacation cruise in the West Indies.

A convention is to be held in Los Angeles in January to form a political organization of women voters, to be known as the California Women's Progressive League.

At its meeting in Little Rock next month the Arkansas Democratic State committee will probably adopt a resolution prohibiting the holding of a presidential primary.

Political rumor has it that if William H. Hovet cannot land the Democratic presidential nomination for himself he would like to see it go to Mayor Carter Harrison of Chicago.

Edwin Lee, chairman of the Indiana Republican State committee, has withdrawn from the race for re-election, leaving the contest between Harry S. New of Indianapolis and Will H. Hall of Sullivan.

Mathias J. Sholes, mayor of Kenosha, Wis., has announced his intention to seek the Democratic nomination for governor of Wisconsin next year.

It is rumored in Indiana that at the next Democratic national convention the name of Senator John W. Kern will be presented for the presidential nomination.

An organization of North Dakota Democrats has been effected and clubs will be organized all over the State for the purpose of supporting the 1912 presidential nomination for Governor John Burke.

When Mayor-elect Joseph Dennis of Belle, Conn., assumes his office the first of the year he will have the distinction of being the oldest municipal executive in the United States. Mr. Dennis is in his sixth year.

Governor Harmon of Ohio, Governor Norris of Montana, former Governor Folk of Missouri and several other Democratic leaders of national prominence are scheduled to address a great rally of "Democrats of the Northwest" to be held in Fargo in January.

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## CLASSIFIED ADS. ONE CENT A WORD.

Wanted. WANTED—CHAMBERMAID AT BATHING HOUSE. 26c11d

WANTED—BOARD AND ROOM IN private family by single man. Protestant preferred. C. W. HARVEY. 26c11d

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework in private family. Apply 223 South Ninth street, West Side, Greensburg. 26c11d

WANTED—POSITION AS SOLICITOR for graces store by experienced and reliable young man. DONALD HARVEY. 26c11d

WANTED—MAN TO TRAVEL CANVASSING propositions and advertising. See MR. VICTORY 305 West Main, 5 to 6 o'clock evenings. 26c11d

WANTED—MEN AGE 18-35 175-185 men \$300 monthly. Broken men \$200 on nearly all trades. Experience unnecessary. No strikes. Positions guaranteed. Competent men. Promotions. Railroad Employing Headquarters—551 Main street in town. Inquire MRS. D. D. LITTLE, 511 Johnston avenue, Connelleville. 26c11d

For Rent. FOR RENT—ROOMS FOR HOUSE-KEEPING. 10 WILTON AVENUE. 26c11d

FOR RENT—TWO ROOM HOUSE with water and gas. Inquire 212 FAIRVIEW AVENUE. 26c11d

For Sale. FOR SALE—A SUITE OR OVERCOAT for order for \$15 warranted perfect in style. It and we know. DAVE GILLEN. 1st floor. 26c11d

FOR SALE—ONE OAKLAND 4000 automobile. Excellent. Better than new at cost. WELLS-MILLS. 115-117 W. Main St. Connelleville, Pa. 26c11d

FOR SALE—ONE O. J. C. BOAT, thoroughly with pedigree. A bargain to quick buyer. ARTHUR G. PAGE, Blinn Works. P. O. Dunbar, Pa. 26c11d

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—\$8000 of good farming and timber land near Leipsville, No. 1, or will exchange for property in town. Inquire MRS. D. D. LITTLE, 511 Johnston avenue, Connelleville. 26c11d

For Rent or For Sale. FOR RENT OR FOR SALE—SIX room house. Inquire water closet. Apply 121 W. Main St. Connelleville, Pa. 26c11d

Found. FOUND—THAT POLISHED SHOES count for more than well clothes with most people. For a list of shoes call at 111 West Main street. Ladies & Gents. See every day. 26c11d

Money to Loan. MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST mortgage by the Peoples Building & Loan Association. No agency commissions charged. ALEX. B. HOOD, Secretary. 26c11d

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## Christmas Suggestions

For Early Holiday Shoppers.

Less than a month now in which to do your Christmas buying. That means you have no time to lose. Don't wait until the eleventh hour when stocks are depleted and buying is tiresome and unsatisfactory. Below, we mention a few of the lines we have just opened up and would be glad to have you look them over. While our lines are perhaps not so large as some, what we are showing, you will find both practical and appropriate for Christmas giving.

Neckwear—New Side Frills, Jabots, Collar Sets, Dutch Collars, Coat Collars, Bows of all kinds. Stocks, Fishies, Embroidered Staff Collars and an attractive lot of novelties such as bows with dangles, stocks with bows, roses, buds, etc., all in pretty color effects. Ribbons of all kinds in taffeta and messaline, all widths and colors, plain or fancy, for bows, sashes and all sorts of fancy work. Gloves—The Centermeri makes in the \$1 and \$2 fine dress styles in black, white and colors, and brown and tan in mannish styles at \$1.25. Also 12 and 16 button styles in black, white and tan. Handkerchiefs.—The daintiest and prettiest things we have ever shown. A complete line in every price. See them. Jewelry and Bags, suitable remembrances shown in a wide range of designs to suit all.

Art Needle Work—Just added another lot to our stock. Cushions, table runners, centerpieces, stand covers, fancy work bags, collar folds, knife, fork and spoon receptacles, pillows, huck towels, guests towels, belts, etc. These are all stamped in plain black and colors in new and beautiful designs.

Novelties—Those that have arrived—Tourists Companions, Face Cloths and Tooth Brush Cases, all rubber lined; Hat Pin Holders, Shoe Lifts and Holders, Needle Cases, Whisk Broom Holders, Shaving Pads, Calendars, Laundry Bogs, Mending Bags, Sewing Sets, Fancy Work Sets, etc., inexpensively priced. Linens—Fine satin table damask, napkins, table covers, lunch cloths, tray cloths, embroidered runners and squares, fancy huck towels, guest towels, fine satin damask towels in beautiful designs, drawn-work, etc.

Many other new things will be added to our Christmas lines later on making this an interesting place to do your shopping. There are many other things throughout the store we could suggest that are just as desirable for gifts as those we have mentioned. These will appear in our ad from time to time later on.

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## A COMPREHENSIVE STATEMENT

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Three Members of Committee Sur-  
vive.

Prick & Co. Co.	25.0
Prick & Co. Co.	50.0
Fayette Lumber Co.	25.0
Graham & Co.	10.0
Goldsmith Bros.	5.0
Goodwin & Co.	5.0
Goldsmith, S. H.	5.0
Goldsmith, Henry	25.0

GOOD JUDGMENT SUGGESTS—  
**GOLD MEDAL  
FLOUR**

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## THIS RUNAWAY TEAM NEAR WRECKS HOTEL

**Tears the Supporting Posts  
From Under Hill House  
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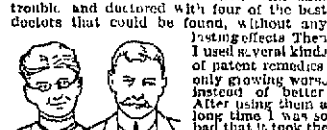
## RAN SQUARE ON THE SIDEWALK

Charles Kroner, Member of Well Known Family, Dies at the Hospital—Captain Richmond Pearson Holston Coming Sunday.

School at 9:45 A. M. Let every member endeavor to be present and bring some one along. Preaching at 11 o'clock. Subject "Advent Thoughts." Evening service at 7:30. Subject "The Costly Pearl." Welcome to all the

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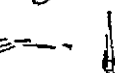

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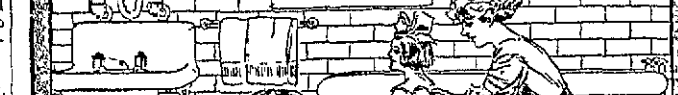
Now Jack—he was a printer—  
A printer good and true.  
He had the cheek to print a kiss  
On the cheek of pretty Sue.



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When he pressed Susie to him,  
But one sad day he ran away.

10 But Sue is going to sue him.



**A Warm Bathroom**

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Every mother should be careful

that the children take their baths in a warm room. The chill of a cold room is dangerous after coming out of the bath.

A Perfection Smokeless Oil Heater brings bathroom or bedroom to just the degree of warmth you want in five or ten minutes. All you have to do is to touch a match.

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Why not get some boxes of this **Peppermint** and **Peppermint** for your stomach trouble and indigestion? A healthy stomach gets the blues and rumbles. Give it a good eat, then eat and forget it. You start the digestive juices working. There will be no **Diaphepsin** or belching of Gas or eruptions of undigested food, no flatulence, no feeling of loss of appetite, no stomach or heartburn, sick headache and Dizziness, and your food will not ferment and poison your breath with offensive odors.

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Do your Christmas shopping early.

# The Girl from His Town

By Marie Van Vorst

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## CHAPTER XII.

## The Green Knight.

The Duchess of Breakwater had made Dan promise at Onondaga that he would take her over to her own place, Stainer Court, and with her the beauty, ruins and traditions of the place.

When Dan got up well on in the morning, Ruggles had gone to his bank. Dan's thought turned to everything to Letty Lane. With irritation he put her out of his mind. There had come up between himself and the girl he had known slightly in his own town two years ago, a wall of partition. Every time he saw her Ruggles was there, condescending, arrogant, and broad. The prince the night before had given the tips of his fingers to Dan, nodded to Ruggles as if the Westerner had been his tailor, and had appropriated Letty Lane, and she had gone away under his shadow. The simplicity of Dan's life, his decent, his knowledge that he was a mediocre youth, for that was his self-conception from the world, made him naive, but he was not dull. He waited—not like a skeptic who would sit every one into his pigeonholes—on the contrary, he waited for the one as perfect as he knew they could be, and every time he tried to think of Letty Lane, Ruggles troubled him. He wrote a note to Ruggles, saying that he would be back late and not wait for him, and set out in his own car for Blackshire, where the duchess was to meet him at Stainer Court at noon. On his way out he decided that he had better take the duchess to Letty Lane with the Duchess of Breakwater, and that it had been none of his business to put her out before her, and that he had judged her quickly and unfairly. He fell in love with the lovely English country over which his motor took him, and at Stainer Court, the duchess, toward the English woman. He sat back in his car, looking over the fine shooting land, the misty golden forests, as through the misty country his motor took its way. The breath of England was in his cheeks, he breathed in its fresh and sweet, the wilderness air was cool and fragrant. His cheeks grew red, his eyes shone like stars, and he was content with his youth and his lot. When they stopped at Stainer Court, he felt something of proprietorship about the time when Letty Lane had a drink, bought petroleum, and then pushed up the avenue under the leafless trees, whose roots were older than his father's name or than any state of the Union. And he felt admiration and something like emotion as he saw the great towers of Stainer Court finally appear.

The duchess waited for him in the room known as the "Green Knight's Room," because of a figure in tapestry on the walls. The legend in wool had been woven in Spain, somewhere about the time when Letty Lane was kind, and when in turn a continent loomed up for the world in general out of the mist. The subject of the Green Knight's tapestry was simple and convincing. On a sleek-outfit of gold ferns, where delicate green up like trees, a slender lady poised her dark sandaled feet on the pin-like turf. Her figure was all swathed round with a spotless dress of woolly white, softened by a pair of golden misty tone, and a pair of friendly and confidential rabbits sat close to her golden slippers. The lady's face was candid and mild, her eyes were soft, and around her head was wound a fillet of woven threads, mellow in tone, a red, no doubt, originally, but softened to a coral pink by time. This lady in all her grace and virginal sweetness was only half of the woven story. To her right stood a youth in forest green, his sword drawn, and his intention evidently to kill a creature which, near to the gentle rabbits, out of the daisied grass lifted its cruel snake-like head. For nearly five hundred years the serpent's venom had been poised, and the serpent should start the Green Knight, would strike, too, at the same magic moment.

Close to the tapestry a fire had been laid in the broad fireplace, and the duchess had ordered the luncheon table for Dan and herself spread with the cold things England knows how to combine into a delectable feast. The room was full of medicinal furnishings, but the Green Knight had been poised, and the serpent should start the Green Knight, would strike, too, at the same magic moment.

When Dan came in he found her in a short tweed skirt, a mannish blouse, looking boyish and wholly charming, and she mixed him a cocktail under the Green Knight's very nose and offered it with the wisdom of the ser-

pent itself, and the duchess didn't in the least suggest the white-robed, milk-white lady.

The friends drank their cocktails to good spirits, and Dan proceeded to the lady with the flowers he had brought her, and he felt a strong sentimentality at the sight of her in this old room, alone and waiting for him. The servants left them, the duchess put her hands on the boy's broad shoulders. Nearly as tall as he, she was a good example of the best-looking English woman, straight and strong, and her eyes were level, and Dan met them with his own.

"I am so glad you came," she murmured. "I've been ragging myself every minute since you went away from Onondaga."

"For what?" "For what?" "I'll do anything you like for Miss Lane. I mean to say, I'll arrange for a musician and ask her to sing."

The color rushed into Dan's face. How badly he felt! What a brick this showed her to be! He said: "You are as good as a peach!" "The duchess' hands were still on his shoulders. She could feel his rapid breath. "I don't make you think of a box of candy now?" she murmured, and the boy covered her hand with his own. "I don't know what you make me think of—it is silly, whatever it is!"

If the Spanish tapestry could only have reversed its idea, and if the immaculate lady, or even one of the rabbits, could have drawn a sword to protect the Green Knight, it would have been pointing well. But the woven work, when it first had been embroidered, was done for ever; it was irrevocable in its mistaken idea, that it is only the woman who needs protection!

## CHAPTER XIII.

## The Face of Letty Lane.

As Dan went through the hall of the Carlton on his way to his rooms that same evening, the porter gave him two points, which Dan went down into the smoking-room to



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Dan looked at the clock; it was after nine, and she would be at the Gaiety going on with her performance. The other note, which he opened more slowly, was from Ruggles, and it began in just the same way as the duchess had begun:

"Dear Boy: I have been suddenly called back to the United States. As I didn't know how to get at you, I couldn't, I had a cable that takes me right back. I got the Lusitania at Liverpool and you can send me a Marconi. Better make the first boat you can and come over."

Ruggles left no word of advice, and unconsciously of this master stroke on the part of the old man, whose heart yearned for him as for his own son. Dan folded the note up and thought no more about Ruggles.

When an hour later he came out of the Carlton he was prepared for the life of the evening. He stopped at the telephone desk and sent a telegram to Ruggles on the Lusitania:

"Can't come yet awhile; am engaged to be married to the Duchess of Breakwater."

He wrote this out in full and the man at the Marconi "put up" and smiled as he wrote. With Letty Lane's badly written note in his pocket, and wondering very much at her summons of him, Dan drove to the Gaiety, and at the end of the third act went back of the scenes. There were several people in her dressing-room. Higgins was leaning her into a white bodice and Miss Lane, before her glass, was putting the rouge on her lips.

"Hello, you," she nodded to Dan. "I am awfully sorry not to have shown up at five. Just got your note. Just got in at the hotel; been out of town all day."

Dan saw that none of the people in the room was familiar to him, and that they were out of place in the pretty brocade nest. One of them was a Jew, a small man with a glass eye, whose fixed stare rested on Miss Lane. He had kept on his overcoat, and his derby hat hung on the back of his head.

"Give Mr. Cohen the box, Higgins," Miss Lane directed, and bending forward, brought her small face close to the glass, and her hands trembled as she handled the rouge stick.

Mr. Cohen in one hand held a string of pearls that fell through his fat fingers, and with the other he held Higgins obediently placed a small box in his hand.

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cheer," Blair offered. And as he did so, for the first time she looked at him, and he saw the fever in her brilliant eyes.

"Thanks awfully," she accepted. "It is perfectly crazy to give them so much money at once. Will you look after it like a good boy and see something or other about them?"

He thought of her, however, and caught up a great soft shawl from the chair, wrapped it around her tenderly, and she flitted off, Higgins after her, leaving the rest of the money scattered on her dressing-table.

"Come along," said Blair kindly to the two who stood awaiting his orders with the docility of the poor, the obedience of those who have no right to plan or suggest until told to move on. "Come, I'll see you home." And he didn't leave them until he had taken them in a cab to their destination—until he perceived the still to let him have the money look after it for her, come to see her the next day and tell her what to do.

Then he went back to the theater, and stood up in the rear for the house was crowded to hear Letty Lane sing. It was so sweetly light, there



"How Does it Feel to Stand There and Hear Them Clap Like a Thunder Storm and Call Your Name?"

were post-cards and little coral caps with feathers as bombards. They called her out before the curtain, a dozen times, and each time Dan wanted to cry, "Mercy" for her. He felt as though this little act had established a friendship between them; and his hands clenched as he thought of Letty Lane, and his heart beat fast. He had an idea that Letty Lane was looking for him through the performance. She finished in a storm of applause, and Dan found himself, in spite of his resolution, going back into the wings.

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## FAMOUS AMERICAN INDIANS

ALBERT PATSON TENDINE

CANONCHET.

This is the story of a savage chieftain who could not forget a wrong, and who, at the cost of his own life, avenged the evil wrought by the white men upon his father.

Miantonomoh, as an earlier article of this series told, was sachem of the Narragansett tribe. He was proud to be known as the white man's friend. He gave pledges of loyalty to the New England colonists and trusted the white colonists made in return. Then Uncas, the great Mohegan chief, became his enemy. Uncas was more faithful to the white men than Miantonomoh. The New Englanders allied the faithful sachem, giving him over to the Narragansett for execution. The Mohegans sought to punish the Narragansett for his death, but again the English settlers interfered to help Uncas.

## A Wrong to Avenge.

Canonchet (or Nanun-tin) was Miantonomoh's son. In time he became chief of the Narragansett. A Massachusetts colonist thus turns up his appearance. "He is a large, muscular man, of great courage of mind as well as of body." The young Narragansett ruler was not at first strong enough to declare his intention of avenging Miantonomoh's sacrifice. So he went (as his father before him had gone) to Boston as guest of the English. There he was flattered and made much of, even as Miantonomoh once had been. The English had given Miantonomoh a shirt of mail. They presented Canonchet with a gorgeous red coat lined with silver. And they managed, as in Miantonomoh's case, to induce him to sign a treaty that was favorable to the colonists. In fact, he appeared to have forgotten any grudge he had ever held. But, whereas Miantonomoh had been honest in his oath of friendship, there was no reason to believe Canonchet was not. He accepted the Englishman's gifts, listened with a grave face to their flattery, signed the treaty, and then went back to his people and secretly made ready for revenge.

King Philip, son of Massachusetts, declared war on the English. Canonchet's chance had come. He sent his braves on the warpath as allies of Philip. He gave refuge and shelter to the wives and children of Philip's warriors. He was paying the first installment of his debt of hatred. And the second installment followed. The English learned with painful surprise that the man they had so lavishly entertained and had dressed in a silver-laced coat was actually enrolling himself among their enemies. So, in March, 1676, they sent an expedition under Capt. Michael Pierce to punish Canonchet for breaking his treaty pledges.

Pierce and his troops marched into the Narragansett country and near the Pawtucket river falls found Canonchet with 300 Indian braves at his back. Canonchet, as if in fear, crossed the river with his men. Pierce followed in hot pursuit. But as the English militia reached the farther bank the retreating Canonchet suddenly halted and gave the order to attack. He had armed the English across the river. He had lured them in order to prevent them from escaping into the forest. With the river at his back, and the Indians rushing down upon him from the banks above, Pierce was caught in a trap. He formed his soldiers in a circle, line of battle, back to back, on the brink of the stream, and prepared to meet the avalanche of savage assault as best he might. During the fierce battle that ensued Canonchet and his braves slew nearly every man in Pierce's command.

News of this disastrous affair spread all New England. Every colony there was called on for militiamen to crush Canonchet. A strong force of soldiers and "friendly" Indians, under Capt. George Denison, bore upon his camp, took him by surprise. Canonchet made a dash for the nearby river, meaning to leap into its waters and swim to safety. As he ran he threw away the silver-laced coat the English had given him. The Indian allies of the colonists gave chase, but Canonchet's fleetness of foot kept him well ahead of them. Just as he neared the bank he slipped in the mud and fell. Before he could scramble to his feet he was seized.

A Last Defiance. The captured chief made no resistance. In fact, he treated his captors as though they were slaves; scoring to speak to them or look in their direction. He was taken before the authorities, who offered him release under certain humiliating conditions. He refused, adding:

"I wish to hear no more talk about treaties or freedom. The English have burned my people in their houses. By killing me you will not end the war. There are other Narragansett as brave as I."

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## THE STAGE AND THE PLAYERS.



A Scene from "The Blue Mouse," at the Soisson Tonight.

## THE SOISSON.

"The Blue Mouse" Tonight. When the Blue Mouse was first produced in New York, having been translated from the German by the late Clyde Fitch, it was little thought before that it would prove the tremendous sensation it subsequently did. Fitch was hoped for it but the reception of the piece was even greater than either the author or the producers dreamed of. As an example of this, the leading magazines of the country bestowed the most flattering praise upon it. The farce, with a cast of 25 will be presented here at the Soisson theatre this afternoon and night.

Ansies's said: "Although it is a German farce, it has the Gaelic touch, even if Mr. Fitch had done all that he could to purify it. Still a plot that revolves around the efforts of a middle-aged husband to carry on a flirtation with a famous dancer could scarcely develop into anything more exceedingly funny."

The Theatre Magazine said: "The Blue Mouse" is the title of a farcical comedy, so full of business laughing that it is almost all you need to know about it.

The Blue Mouse is the nickname of a vaudeville dancer Paulette Digne.

who, who represents one more variation of that slippery and fallacious type, the "Blue Mouse." Miss Digne makes her pretty and gay enough, in a curiously sheath gown, to account for anything that happens, and it is not the actress, but the character of the play, that is the source of its success. For somebody, puts into her kiss-inviting mouth such an incongruous line of talk as "he has went" and "I can't help it, it's my 'kiss'!"

"The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary." Helen Lowell who loomed into fame by her most versatile and extremely funny impersonation of Lizzy in the "Lottery Man" will be presented here at the Soisson theatre on Wednesday, December 14. Producing the famous and most laughable comedy, "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary" in which she will assume the character of Aunt Mary, a good-natured and generous-hearted old maid from New England. Miss Lowell is said to be remarkably clever in impersonating "Aunt Mary," developing every feature of the diverse character in convincing attitudes and comprehensive expressions. Aside from the much-provoking situations of the play, Miss Lowell's personality embodies the character of Aunt Mary with all the characteristics of the actual type of the woman from New England.

## DOUBLY PROVEN.

Connellsville Readers Can No Longer Doubt the Evidence.

This gratifying citizen testified long ago.

Kind of quick relief—of lasting benefit.

This fact is now confirmed.

Such testimony is complete—the evidence conclusive.

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His System. "Do you count your chickens before they are hatched?" asked the visitor. "You bet I do!" said the dealer in making stocks and promoter of town sites. "I not only count 'em before they are hatched, but sell 'em before the eggs are laid."—Judge's Library.

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## SCHOOL REPORT.

Third Month in Connellsville Township Shows Good Attendance.

The third month of the school term in the Connellsville township schools closed Monday, November 27th.

Throughout the township excellent work has been done by both teachers and pupils. The average attendance and per cent of attendance are a little over than last month on account of the prevalence of sickness. This is especially true of the South Connellsville district. The first presentation for irregular attendance was made by Truant Officer John Helms a few days ago. The usual fine and costs were imposed by Squire Kern.

Two of the regular teachers at Gibson have been on the sick list for the greater part of the month. Miss Jeanne Sandles, the substitute teacher is taking the place of Miss Durst who is recovering from an attack of fever, and Miss Laura Stafford is teaching for Miss Annabel Lee who has recently undergone an operation for appendicitis. The following is the report by rooms, first column denoting enrollment; second, average attendance; third, per cent attendance:

Narrows.  
No. 1—Nora Creedon.....43 30  
No. 2—Charles Thomas.....36 30  
No. 3—Freda Shultz.....38 30  
No. 4—O. F. Moser.....32 27  
Rock Ridge.  
No. 1—Bernie L. Ridgely.....41 34  
No. 2—Clarence Sullivan.....28 17  
Poplar Grove.  
No. 1—Minerva Kefford.....24 26  
Brumfield.  
No. 1—Pearl Mendenhall.....18 15  
Gibson.  
No. 1—A—Martha Wilson.....57 45  
No. 2—B—Flossie Seville.....61 54  
No. 3—Dorothy Harbaugh.....55 43  
No. 4—Daisy Trombley.....51 40  
No. 5—Annabel Lee.....45 37  
No. 6—Edwina Stumm.....49 40  
No. 7—Dorothy Moore.....51 41  
No. 8—Anna Williams.....43 40  
No. 9—Winifred Bingham.....23 26  
No. 10—Eva Wilson.....28 23  
No. 11—M. M. Durst.....35 30  
Total.....770 647 91

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## WANTED--2 POINTS; SEND 'EM TO COKERS

That Difference Separated  
Them From Jaws  
Last Night.

## WOHLFARTH LARGELY TO BLAME

Then, Too, All the "Breaks" Went the  
Other Way and Referee Melzel  
Didn't Live Up to Reputation as a  
"Home" Umpire--Sad, Sad Tale.

Last Night's Scores.  
Johnstown 37; Connellsville 35.  
Charlottesville 25; South Side 23.

Standing of the Clubs.  
Uniontown ..... 8 3 .760  
Johnstown ..... 8 3 .760  
South Side ..... 7 6 .538  
Connellsville ..... 5 8 .385  
Charlottesville ..... 5 8 .385  
Washington ..... 0 8 .000

Games Tonight.  
Connellsville at Washington.  
Johnstown at South Side.

Wanted--two small points. Finder  
will ship them to the Cokers on De-  
cember 22, when Johnstown comes  
again.

This is the sad, sad tale of "Two  
much Wohlforth." There is hardly  
another way to explain the Cokers'  
defeat by a 27-25 score last night.  
Mr. Wohlforth contributed 12 of the  
27 points. One Keenan, he of the  
famous voice, also scored somewhat  
prominently in the ball game and  
tumble session here. Mr. Keenan,  
whom Josephus Foxworthy calls "Bill,"  
poled off a quartet of doubles, three  
of them in the first half. The three  
points for Bill represents the num-  
ber of times Big Joe Cavannah at-  
tempted to score in that session be-  
sides the one time he landed. Every-  
thing Joe shot for the basket, and  
missed, Bill shot for it at the other  
end of the hall and didn't.

The game was one of those thrill-  
ers, especially during the second  
half. The Cokers weren't discour-  
aged by a 20-16 score at the close of  
the first session, 14 of the 20 being  
donated by the Wohlforth-Keenan  
combination in restraint of Coker  
field goals. In the second half they  
tied the score in a twinkling at 21,  
forced ahead by the Wohlforth-Keenan  
overlook team, went to 27 and were  
caught up in a stern chase that was  
stopped by the inexorable hand  
of time.

It was the champion hard luck  
game. The Cokers weren't so badly  
outplayed, after all. That man Wohl-  
forth is the most remarkable shot in  
the league. Most players say he is  
the luckiest shot of all, but there  
isn't another man in the case who  
keeps doing things as well as Wohl-  
forth with such consistency. The  
Belle Jade refuses to leave Dutch  
when he dives for the basket.

After 11 minutes had been played  
in the second half Captain Dark de-  
cided he had been the goat long  
enough and sent Steve White into  
the cage. That stopped Wohlforth's  
doubles, but Steve had almost no  
chance to assault and batter to pull  
the trick.

The Cokers made lots of shots that  
bounced into the basket and bounced  
right out again. It was the worst  
case of sustained hard luck that the  
fans have ever seen. The Jaws  
should have been watched by 20  
points by rights, and it wasn't their  
fault they weren't. It just happened  
the "breaks" were going the other  
direction, and going that way fast.

It was decidedly a game in which  
the forwards were out of it. Of the  
25 field goals made by the two teams,  
20 were made by the center or buck-  
field men. For the Cokers, Beggs and  
Doherty starred, with Cavannah a  
runner-up, and Billy Kummer the  
bright and shining luminary on the  
free line. For Johnstown it was  
Wohlforth and Keenan, and none  
other.

Someone has said, some scores of  
times, and others have repeated it,  
that the Central league referees are  
"home" umpires. This false, referee  
Melzel nailed the camera last even-  
ing. He recovered his eyesight in the  
last few minutes of play and called  
a few fouls for Kummer to toss.  
Melzel didn't lose the game for the  
Cokers, they would have lost in any  
event, it is doubtful whether he  
certainly didn't show any partiality  
to the team here despite Foxworthy's  
frequent lamentations. The attendance  
was good and in the second half  
wildly enthusiastic. If the Cokers  
can just win a game or two on the  
road, and an occasional one at home,  
prospects won't be so worse. Captain  
Kid Dark showed good judgment in  
putting the hooks to himself. White  
seemed to have Wohlforth's fingers.  
Steve got the glad hand when he en-  
tered the arena. This lineup:

Cokers (32) Johnstown (37)  
Doherty ..... right guard ..... Newman  
Kummer ..... left forward ..... Foxworthy  
Cavannah ..... center ..... Keenan  
Doherty ..... right guard ..... Kinkade  
Beggs ..... left guard ..... Wohlforth  
Field goals--Kummer 1, Kinkade 0,  
Doherty 0, Wohlforth 0, Cavannah 3,  
Keenan 5, Beggs 1, Newman 2.  
Foul goals--Kummer 15 out of 22;  
Foxworthy 11 out of 19.

Referee--Melzel. Timers--Fogel and  
Pickells.

Will Force Issue.  
It is stated that the United States  
Steel Corporation will seek an early  
decision in the dissolution suit against  
it rather than file a demurrer which  
might secure a delay of two years or  
more.

Killed Thanksgiving Day.  
James Callahan, one of the veteran  
trainmen running on the B. & O. divi-  
sion in the direction suit against  
it, was killed while on duty at  
Morgantown on Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. J. E. Fritz has placed every  
hat in her store on sale at 50c. Nothing  
over 42c. trimmed. Prices from \$2 to  
\$3. Willow plumes 45c. white and  
black.

## OLD LANDMARK GONE

Enoch Thomas' Homestead at East  
Liberty Being Razed.

EAST LIBERTY, Dec. 2.—Another  
old landmark in East Liberty has  
been obliterated. The old homestead  
of the late Enoch Thomas is being  
razed to the ground since the death  
of Mr. Thomas' late son George  
Thomas has occupied and lived there  
and it seems that Mr. Thomas is fol-  
lowing after others of town and in-  
tends to be up-to-date as the old re-  
sidence was one of the oldest in town  
and was about 150 years behind the  
times and has now gone to join those  
which were removed some years ago  
and were occupied by some old and  
familiar citizens, such as John Byers.  
He was the father of Hester Ann Byers,  
an old maiden lady whom none of  
the old residents could forget.  
Then Andy Berry--of course no one  
acquainted with him could ever forget  
he lived on Main street just op-  
posite the new school house--and  
next to him lived Ayers Hayden, but  
of an entirely different nature. On  
the old site Mr. Byers has erected  
an up to date dwelling.  
John Lint owns the old John Byers  
ere' homestead and has a six room  
dwelling house erected thereon.  
West Sherbondy lived opposite the  
Byers residence which in later years  
was sold to Charles Dunlap who has  
built an up to date residence. Jane  
Wittacker, the dear old soul, who liv-  
ed just opposite H. C. Palmer's.  
The Church of God chapel now oc-  
cupies the place where once stood the  
Wittacker residence. So as time  
onward goes the old historic resi-  
dences must make room for modern  
up to date dwellings, so Mr. Thomas  
not to be outdone in erecting a new  
home on the old site which will be  
a credit to the old but not forgotten  
one.

Harry Lint, Joseph Stoner, E. C.  
Burton, Lewis Moore, Thomas New-  
ton and many other now live and  
have built homes on historical spots  
in few years ago. One sister town of  
Vanderbilt tried to persuade Liberty  
to unite with them in forming a bor-  
ough but Liberty of course refused.  
off and is still advancing and taking  
her place among the best of them  
and it is only upon the judgment and  
refusal of the level-headed citizens  
of town that we are not repenting at  
leisure.

## BURNS, CUTS, BRUISES

San Cura Ointment Stops Pain at  
Once, Draws Out All Poisons,  
And Heals Promptly.

In all the world there is no ointment  
so harmless, no remedy for  
burns, cuts and bruises that can com-  
pare with the antiseptic ointment  
called San Cura.

Every person ought to have a jar on  
hand; it is the first and best aid to  
the injured in case of accident, and is  
the ideal remedy for so many other  
diseases and painful ailments be-  
sides.

For example: It is guaranteed by  
Graham & Co. of Connellsville and S.  
A. Lowe & Co. of Scottville, for  
itching, bleeding and protruding piles,  
eczema, tetter, ulcers, salt rheum,  
boils, carbuncles and pimples, or  
money back.

In case of old running sores, no  
matter how long standing, a few  
poultices of San Cura Ointment will  
draw out every particle of poison, and  
leave it in such a thoroughly antiseptic  
condition that the sore will heal  
never to break open again.

We advise every reader to get a  
jar of San Cura Ointment today and  
keep it ready for an accident or  
emergency that may happen. 25  
cans and 50 cents at Graham & Co.  
of Connellsville, and S. A. Lowe & Co.  
of Scottville, on a money-back plan.

## SOAP FOR THE SCALP

San Cura Soap is delightful for  
shampooing, because it is full of anti-  
septic properties that banish the  
worms of dandruff and other impuri-  
ties from the scalp. It cures pimples  
and blackheads, too. 25 cents a cake  
at Graham & Co. of Connellsville,  
and S. A. Lowe & Co. of Scottville.  
Mail orders for San Cura Ointment  
and Soap filed by Thompson Medical  
Co., Titusville, Pa.

## Settlement Rumor

It is reported the West Penn has  
of-tent in the right-of-way dispute  
that has kept its new line from enter-  
ing Uniontown and the link from Phil-  
lips will be started in the near future.

## Will Be Operated On

Harry Seidler, a West Penn conduc-  
tor on the Brownsville division, has  
been taken to Pittsburgh for an opera-  
tion for hernia.

## Have You Anything for Sale?

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Special to The Courier.

SOMERSET, Dec. 1.—A feature of  
the Somerset Poultry Show which  
closed this evening, was the special  
prizes offered, in a variety that would  
be hard to realize. The prizes  
were distributed by the Somerset  
Poultry Association, which has been  
contributing prizes, which have been  
awarded as special inducements to  
the exhibitors.

The winners of the special prizes  
available this year were announced  
this morning, and are as follows:

William E. Weaver, Somerset, won  
a lap robe, valued at \$5.00, offered by  
J. B. Holderbaum, hardware dealer,  
for best male and female in Single  
Comb White Leghorns.  
H. W. Lawson, of Youngstown,  
Pa., won one bushel of wheat and 50  
pounds of oyster shells, offered by H.  
W. Walker & Company, grocery  
store, for first Barred Plymouth Rock  
hen.

W. Park Koozer, of Somerset, won  
a 35 cupper, offered by Duffell  
& Countryman, furniture dealers, for  
best Single Comb Buff Leghorn pul-  
let.  
The Hon. John C. Waller, of Geb-  
hart, won \$3.00 Mallory hat, offered  
by J. Edwards (Jr.), agent, furniture,  
for best Black Langshank cock.  
Elmer E. Pugh, of Somerset, won  
a bag of scratch feed, offered by M.  
Ward Saylor, grocer, for best Buff  
Plymouth Rock hen.

John E. Weaver, of Connemah  
township, won one parlor cabinet,  
valued \$25.00, offered by J. C. Smith  
& Co., furniture dealers, for best  
cock, hen, cockerel, pullet, and pen,  
in White Wyandottes.

Parker F. Coleman, of Somerset  
township, won a gold brooch, valued  
\$4.00, offered by P. L. Cassebeer,  
jeweler, for best male and female  
Buff Leghorns.

Elmer C. Long, of Somerset, won  
an umbrella, valued \$4.00, offered by  
W. Garfield Bauman, for best White  
Plymouth Rock cockerel.  
R. F. Wainwright, of Somerset, won  
a cut glass dish, valued \$4.00, offered  
by Jacob D. Swank, jeweler, for best  
male Orpington.

H. W. Lawson, of Youngstown, Pa.,  
won a pair of woolen blankets, value  
\$5.00, offered by J. H. Sifford &  
Company, dry goods dealers, for best  
Barred Plymouth Rock hen.

Ernest W. Wrightman, of Pittsburg,  
won a box of Cuckoo's Special, value  
\$3.00, offered by George H. Cuckoo,  
cigar manufacturer, for best  
Ancient pullet.

Irvin F. Dillon, of Somerset, won  
an umbrella, valued \$4.00, offered by  
Shumaker Bros., cigar furnishing, for  
best male and female Single Comb  
Rhode Island Red.

Clyde Saylor, of Somerset town-  
ship, won a box of cigars, value \$4.00,  
offered by John W. Mullins, druggist,  
for best pen of White Leghorns.

I. Oliver Frey, of Bainbridge, Pa.,  
won two framed pictures, value \$4.00,  
offered by W. Russell Smith, a  
paper dealer, for best Brahma cock  
and best Houdan pullet.

Austin D. Shaffer, of Somerset, won  
a box of perfume, value \$5.00, offered  
by Joseph M. Bricker, druggist, for  
most points on any one variety of  
Bantams.

Jacob S. Pickling, Jr., of Somerset,  
won a box of cigars, value \$3.00, of-  
fered by Harry S. Sipe, tobacco  
dealer, for best Andalusian cock.  
Allen C. Queer, of Somerset town-  
ship, won 100 pounds of feed, offered  
by John G. Emmert, for best male and  
female in Buckeye Reds.

Charles E. Pullin, of Somerset, won  
a cut glass dish, value \$4.00, offered  
by Hoffman & Company, variety store,  
for best Single Comb Dorking cock.  
Jacob S. Pickling, Jr., of Somerset,  
won one bushel wheat, offered by H. W.  
Walker & Company, grocers, for best  
Andalusian pullet.

Nash C. Shultz, of Somerset town-  
ship, won a 34 derby hat, offered by S.  
P. Holderbaum, clothing dealer, for  
best single comb Black Minorca.  
W. Garfield Bauman, of Somerset won  
a razor, valued at \$1, offered by Dil-  
lon's barber shop, for best Buff Orping-  
ton female.

Curtis I. Waldner, of Somerset, won  
a box of candy, valued at \$4, offered  
by Pomeroy's restaurant, for best male  
and female Hamburgs.  
Bugs of scratch feed, oyster shells,  
and egg cases, offered by N. C. Beert's  
Sons, grocers, were won by H. W. Law-  
son, of Youngstown, Pa., for best Bar-  
red Plymouth Rock cockerel; by Park-  
er F. Coleman of Somerset township,  
for best Buff Leghorn pullet; by I. Ol-  
iver Frey of Bainbridge, Pa., for best  
Buff Plymouth Rock hen; by Jacob S.  
Pickling of Somerset, for best Buff Leghorn  
cockerel; by Willis E. Weaver of Somerset,  
for best single comb White Leghorn  
pullet; by Jacob S. Pickling of Somer-  
set, for best Andalusian cockerel; by  
Nash C. Shultz of Somerset township,  
for second Barred Plymouth Rock hen;  
by Elmer C. Long of Somerset, for sec-  
ond White Plymouth Rock pullet; by  
Irvin F. Dillon of Somerset, for sec-  
ond Rhode Island Red pullet; by John  
E. Weaver of Connemah township, for  
second Black Minorca pullet; by Chas.  
E. Pullin of Somerset, for second sin-  
gle comb Dorking pullet.

Black Powder; Not Dynamite.  
It was stated that Byron Shallen-  
berger was burned by an explosion of  
black powder and not dynamite yester-  
day morning while trying to clean  
out the flue of a boiler at St. James  
Park.

Only a Road Roller.  
The Road Supervisors of Nicholson  
township have purchased a new 10-ton  
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size and style.

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the fur looks best in. This applies to sets as well  
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the pelts to the article ready for selling.

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tage of manufacturing furriers. Thus you see it is  
easier, better and perfectly reasonable for women  
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ful?"--little squeals of joy arise from one part and  
another all over the place, announcing that some  
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